

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED **EXAMINING GROUP 2123**

Customer No. 58,982.

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:

Mohammed A. KHAN

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed June, 16, 2006, the period for response to which having been extended to October 16, 2006 by a request for extension of time of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, and pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, Applicant proposes that this application be amended as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper beginning on page 2.

Remarks follow the amendment section of this paper and begin on page 26.